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DEPARTMENT THANKS EMBASSY AND RTG FOR INFORMATION PROVIDED
REF A. REGARDING PARAGRAPH D, RTG IS CORRECT. SUGAR,
TSUS 15520, WAS IN FACT EXCLUDED FROM GSP BENEFITS FOR
THAILAND FOR 1976. STATISTICS SENT TO EMBASSY ARE
IN ERROR, AND THIS ITEM SHOULD BE MARKED WITH AN
ASTERISK, NOT AN A, AND THE TOTALS ADJUSTED ACCORDINGLY.
THE REASON THAT THAILAND WAS EXCLUDED BY COMPETITIVE
NEED ON SUGAR IN 1976 WAS BECAUSE SUGAR SHIPMENTS FROM
THAILAND IN PREVIOUS YEAR 1975 EXCEEDED THE COMPETITIVE
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NEED LIMITS. (THAILAND SHIPPED ABOUT \$45 MILLION OF
SUGAR TO US IN 1975.) BECAUSE THAI SHIPMENTS OF SUGAR
IN 1976 FELL BELOW-THE COMPETITIVE NEED CUTOFF, THAILAND
WAS ELIGIBLE FOR REDESIGNATION FOR GSP BENEFITS ON SUGAR
IN 1977 (BEGINNING MARCH 1). HOWEVER, BECAUSE OF THE
INTERNATIONAL AND DOMESTIC SUGAR SITUATION, A DECISION
AS TO WHETHER OR NOT THAILAND (AND SEVEN OTHER

COUNTRIES) SHOULD BE REDESIGNATED FOR GSP ON SUGAR
HAS NOT YET BEEN MADE. VANCE

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